Foolish Department
The owl ain't so wise—
he just looks wise.

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# ANOTHER ANGLE OF THE CITY HALL PROPOSITION

## Mrs. C. F. Donnelly Expresses the Belief that Parks and Playgrounds Are More Important Than a New City Hall

Mrs. C. F. Donnelly, president of the Civic Center Club, has some objections to wishing another city hall site on the people of Richmond.

"If public money is to be voted," said Mrs. Donnelly, "we feel that it ought to be used to give us more parks and playgrounds. and to add more floral attractions to the city. We can't do too much to improve the attractions of Richmond in this regard. While we are very proud of the business district nad manufacturing interests, there are comforts and attractions to be considered to make a city really homelike and happy for those that live in it

"I cannot see any reason whatever for changing the present location of the city hall. We don't need a change. As far as I have been able to ascertain, everybody is satisfied with it who looks at the matter unselfishly.

"I think it is going a little too far for a few persons to try to use the taxpayers and property owners of all Richmond to further their own personal interests. I have talked to many members of the Civic Center Club, and I think we all feel about the same in this matter.

"If the persons who propose changing the location would be as generous as Mr. Nicholl and present the site free of charge to the city, as he did. with a city hall thrown in for good measure, it would look more reasonable, but as it is we are all very well satisfied with our city hall and with the generosity of those who presented it to us, and the people of Richmond will not be foolish enough to give away their birthright and increase their tax rate. Leave the city hall where it is and give Richmond more trees and flowers, parks and fire protection and schools, say I."

### LENTEN SERVICES.

Lenten services will be held at the First Congregational church, Twentieth and Roosevelt avenue, Thursday, March 29, Friday, March 30, Tuesday, April 3, and Thursday, April 5, at 8 p, m., each evening. On Thursday of each week the Pacific Gospel team will assist in the service, there being special music each evening. On Friday evening there will be an illustrated talk on the Life of Christ by Rev. Huber Burr, and on Tuesday evening Miss Mary Denton of Kioto, Japan, will give an illustrated talk on Christianity in Japan. The public is cordially invited to attend.

### BODY RECOVERED.

The body of Barney Mitchell, the deck hand who was drowned in a storm recently off a dredger working near the municipal wharf, was discovered yesterday by Roy Adams. The remains will be shipped by Undertaker Smallwood to San Francisco relatives of the deceased.

### OFFICER BETTS RESIGNS.

Officer George H. Betts of the local police force tendered his resignation last night to take effect at once. He has secured a position with the Standard Oil, which is increasing the guard of the big plant. Betts had been an officer five years, and there were but two men ahead o fhim in point of service. He has a good record as a patrolman.

### OPMAN HAS IT.

If there is anything that you may need for your home, even though it may be something out of the ordinary, you are pretty sure to find it at John Opman's furniture and hardware store at Seventeenth and Macdonald. Ring him up, 1008 W.

The wife of Will Schaffer presented him a ten-pound native daughter Monday night. All hands doing well.

A 12-pound girl was born yesterday morning to Mrs. H. Saunders of El Cerrito at the Craven hospital.


# ATTENTION, HOMESEEKERS AND SPECULATORS

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# ARCHITECT OGBORN IS A VERY BUSY MAN

Plans for the following buildings were placed in the Builders' Exchange for figures this afternoon by J. B. Ogborn:

Brick garage for Richmond Garage Company, Seventh and Chanslor.

Residence for L. D. Spencer, Standard Oil employe, Burg tract.

Residence for H. W. Clear, Seventeenth street, south of Macdonald avenue.

The dwellings are being patterned after his own home.

### IMPORTANT LABOR MEETING TONIGHT

The Labor Council will meet tonight and business of the utmost importance will come before the body.

The Building Trades Council meets tomorrow night, when F. W. Heckman will turn in his report. He was the council's delegate at the state meeting at Marysville.

# THE LATEST POINT NEWS

Comrades and Ladies of the G. A. R. are asked to assemble at Pythian Castle at 1 p. m. today to attend the funeral of Comrade Rawson.

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Mrs. Mary Coolridge of Berkeley was at the Point yesterday on business.

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Ed Heryford of Lincoln, an old school mate of Miss Joy Smith, spent Sunday with the family.

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R. B. riggs, an insurance man of San Jose, was at the Point yesterday on business.

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Philip Ashcroft of Watsonville is here to attend the wedding of his brother Alva to Miss Mable Brent today.

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Mrs. W. F. Runyon returned Monday after visiting friends at Riverbank.

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Vernie Read, one of McWhorter's best clerks, is taking a vacation at the Lester ranch.

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H. J. Burton, wife and daughter Ellen have returned from Sacramento, where they have been visiting friends.

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The Ladies' Aid of the First Baptist church will meet today at the home of Mrs. E. K. Sherman on Gertrude street.

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A surprise was tendered Mrs. C. C. Heckler Monday night by a number of friends. There were games, music and refreshments. There were present Mrs. Mary Kenison, Theresa Huise, Mrs. B. F. Smith, Joy Smith, Mrs. Drinnen and Willard Drinnen, Miss idal and George Vidal, Boyd and Thelma Heckler and Mr. and Mrs. Heckler.

### EAGLES' DANCE.

The Drum Corps of the local lodge of Eagles will give a grand ball at East Shore Park on the 21st of April. The following committee is in charge: L. Monte, G. Kelly and J. Gardner.

### N. D. G. W. WHIST.

The Native Daughters gave a card party last night. Those in charge were Mrs. L. Blake, Mrs. L. Swartout and Mrs. L. Krumdick. After the games refreshments were seryed.

Colonel Burr will visit the local dredging work in the near future.

## Councilman Fernald



(Caught in the act by News Artist Geritz.)

Those who know R. N. Fernald best call him Bob, and as the News has known him a long time and is intimate enough to borrow his tobacco and lend him matches when the city congress is in the heat of the fray, we are going to call him Bob, too, 'cause that's what he is, and incidentally one of the best Bobs that ever bobbed.

Fernald is the safety valve of the council. He never gets excited or goes off half-cocked, but you can see by the beautiful chromo at the top of this sketch that his off eye is skinned over toward Hizzonor the Mayor so that not a fly will get past the home plate while he is on as umpire.

When the pyrotechnics are flying fiercest, and Jim Long and John Gerlach are touching off pinwheels, Bob just sits tight in the boat and never dodges as the rockets whiz by, but serenely lights his pipe with the sparks and then nine times out of ten votes right.

Fernald is also a horney-handed son of toil, like most of the rest of them are, and is by trade a marble cutter, and one of the best around this bay, or any other bay. He has no marble heart, but he can chisel most anything out of marble that anybody else can out of putty. A great many of the marble jobs on fine buildings in San Francisco were done by Fernald, and he is in constant demand over there.

Of course this lovely photogravure flatters him some, but that is because we have a friendly feeling for him and would not let the artist do his derndest. And besides, some of the ladies may be cutting the picture out of the paper and pasting it up for future reference when leap year rolls around again.

Mr. Fernald enjoys the respect, confidence and highest esteem of every citizen of Richmond, to the best of our knowledge and belief, for we have never heard one word to the contrary, and while he is not given to oratory during council proceedings, he is like the sailor's parrot that kept up a devil of a thinking, and his judgment is conceded by his colleagues to be safe, sane and sound.

### FIRE AT STANDARD.

There was a small fire at the Standard yesterday evening, due to the bursting of a pipe. The siren sounded the alarm, but prompt action prevented a blaze of any dimensions and the loss was nominal.

### THE COMMUNITY CLUB.

At last night's meeting of the Community Club it was decided that the basketball girls would give a mask ball April 5 and the baseball club will have one on the 13th.

Fireman Percy Jones has resigned for a more lucrative position.

Mrs. W. H. Perry of San Pablo was a passenger for Honolulu yesterday on the Great Northern.

# WELL KNOWN PIANO MAN MARRIED IN OAKLAND

Robert H. Coker, special representative of the Eilers Music Company of San Francisco, slipped down to Oakland Saturday evening and made Mrs. Mae Haddock of Lodi his wife. Mr. Coker has been conducting a very successful safe for the Eilers Music Company here and has made friends both for himself and the firm he represents. His wife is an elocutionist of some reputation and a most charming woman. The ceremony was performed by the Christian minister.

### CITY HALL MEETING AT POINT FRIDAY

The Point Richmond Development Club will hold an open meeting Friday night to give everybody a chance to air his views on the city hall matter, which comes before the people on the 3rd of April. Everybody is invited and everybody will be given a chance to have his say.

# OAKLAND CAFES JOLTED

OAKLAND, March 27.—Recommending the immediate revocation of the licenses of eight Oakland cafes, which the Alameda county grand jury describes as unfit, both by reason of the manner in which they are conducted and the conduct permitted in them, to continue in business, the inquisitorial body submitted its report in department 5 of the Superior Court this morning. The report, in addition to the above recommendation, calls attention to a laxity on the part of city officials in the matter of regulating the conduct of twenty-three other saloons and cafes, which it declares are operated in open violation of the law and which, although complained of by Chief Petersen, have been allowed to operate both by the chief and by Commissioner F. F. Jackson.

### TWO DESTROYERS SUNK.

LONDON, March 17.—Two British destroyers have been sunk, the admiralty announced late today.

One struck a mine in the English channel. Four officers and seventeen of the crew were rescued.

Another sank as the result of a collision, one of the crew being drowned.

### NO TRACE OF BODY.

No trace has yet been found of the body of Donnellan, who lost his life in San Pablo creek some weeks ago. The belief grows that the body was washed into the bay and is held down by the weight of his oil clothing and rubber boots.

### INQUEST TONIGHT.

An inquest will be held tonight on the explosion at the cap works which killed two Chinese and wrecked a couple more.

Officers of Contra Costa Temple, 113, Pythian Sisters, made arrangements at their last meeting for a party Saturday night, when there will be initiation. All Pythian Sisters and Knights are invited. It will be free.

The News back garden is in progress of being planted now, and by the middle of May will be a thing of beauty and a joy forever. Buttonhole bouquets free to all next summer—especially to the ladies.

George Wall, the well known realty operator, was a business visitor in Richmond yesterday.

# BLAME FOR CONFLICT IS PLACED UPON GERMANY

## Decisive Vindication of National Honor Will Be the Key Note of War Resolution At Special Session of Congress

WASHINGTON, March 27.—The resolution to be introduced in Congress on April 3, immediately after the President concludes his address to the joint session, will declare that the time has come when the United States must vindicate decisively its honor and its rights.

Anticipating the trend of the President's indictment, the committee on foreign affairs, according to present plans, will draw the resolution along the following lines:

That wanton violation of the rights of persons and property of our citizens, committed by Germany; her repeated acts of bad faith and utter disregard of solemn treaties have constituted ample cause for war on our part;

That Germany's acts have been such as to justify the United States before the whole world in resorting to remedies, however extreme;

That, with an anxious desire to avoid a rupture, we forebore for months to assert our rights by force and continued by amicable negotiations to seek redress for wrongs suffered, in the hope that Germany might yield to pacific counsel and demands of justice;

That in this hope the United States was disappointed;

That the time has come when this country must vindicate decisively her honor, right and interest;

That solely by the acts of Germany, a state of war exists between that government and the United States, and that the Congress of the United States places at the disposal of the President the means of prosecuting the war vigorously and thereby hastening the restoration of peace.

The resolution will also authorize liberal provision for sustaining and increasing the army and navy.

L. Alma Berry was granted a final decree of divorce at Martinez yesterday from Edward F. Berry, and the court performed the same service for Catherine McLaughlin from Peter McLaughlin.

### FIVE BILLIONS TO LOAN ALLIES

NEW YORK, March 27.—The United States—the treasure house of the world—is able to loan the allies the staggering sum of $5,000,000,000 without noticeably affecting the financial situation in this country.

An official of one of the largest American banking institutions today declared this country is in a position to loan five times the amount of our national debt to the allies in case of war between the United States and Germany.

In the gold piled up in this country is the power, if loosed, to end the war, in the opinion of the banker.

"At this time the wealth of the United States is estimated at two hundred billion dollars," said the banker.

The sum is sufficient to build 338 completely equipped super-dreadnaughts of the Pennsylvania class, which cost $14,762,000 each.

Seven thousand one hundred and forty-three fast destroyers and torpedo boats, which cost about $700,000 each, and leave a trifle of $2,000,000 over.

Run the war for England and France about 100 days.

### WAR NOTES.

A London dispatch says that Germany has offered Russia a separate peace.

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Great Britain lost 555 ships in March by divers—a total of over half a million tons.

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French and British made great gains yesterday and the fall of the Hindenburg line is predicted.

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Last night 45,000 militia men were reported in the U. S. service.

The Phi Lambda club has issued 100 invitations to their party at the Richmond Club on the 30th.


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## Editorial Comment

### THE PEOPLE GETTING FLIMFLAMMED.

The Weinstock state market bill before the Legislature has been changed in committee, with the consent of its framer, State Market Director Weinstock, we understand, until its original sponsors would not recognize it if they met it in the road. And in the changes made the main object of the bill, and its only big feature, is eliminated, leaving it as limp as a rag as far as practical good to the whole people, and especially the consumer, is concerned.

The object was to place all food products of the state in the same class as water, electricity or any other necessity handled by a public service corporation. Food being a public necessity should be made by law a public utility, and so this bill started out to proclaim, but now that has been stricken out and it proclaims nothing that amounts to a hill of beans.

Why was this change made in committee and with the consent of the State Market Director? Have the food trusts, the wholesale commission firms and the cold storage pirates been able to influence legislation by their usual methods? What are we to think?

In many similar cases we have all seen where a big public clamor is made for a needed remedy, and when, spurred by the lash of public sentiment, a start is made in the right direction, it is then left until the people, thinking something is being done, cool off, and then corporation money steals in quietly and defeats the ends of justice, bribes lawmakers and thwarts the will of the people.

We do not know that anything of that sort happened in this case, but we do know that this law was more needed than any other kind of legislation, in the face of the fact that the public is being systematically robbed by food jugglers; and we do know that petitions were sent in to the State Assembly from all over, asking for a law to place food on the same footing as water and other public utilities; and we do know that such a law was framed and went in to the committee; and then comes a month's legislative recess, and now comes the bill out of committee, killed deader than a mackerel, as far as any curb it puts upon the food trusts. So we naturally think something happened.

Maybe it got choked by the size of the roll. And then again maybe it just naturally died of infantile paralysis. At any rate, this Assembly is not going to do anything for the benefit of the whole people if the toes of the money monopoly are to be trod upon in so doing.

We never did have any use for a Bull Moose anyhow, or a half-breed mongrel of any kind—legislative, political or otherwise.

### WALL STREET NEEDS RAIDING.

There is a great deal of horrification in the staid old ranks of reaction over the proposals for government regulation of stock exchanges with a view to eliminating the gambling features. The idea of Uncle Sam's nosing into the divine right of Wall street bunco artists to hinder them from chloroforming the lamb and sucker into a sense of security by high and mighty names, naturally appears like a piece of impudence to the gents whose only conception of government is something that provides easy grafts for the insiders. The stock exchange as it operates now makes Monte Carlo look like a crap game. Uncle Sam will never get the full benefit out of his new currency law until he raids the place and takes the wheels of fortune out.

We men folks think we are pretty smart, but just look how many years and years we pulled shirts on over our heads without thinking of some easier way.

Penpendicular cannon are bringing down aeroplanes in Europe, but nothing of that sort could shoot high enough to bring down the price of meat in this country.

Probably old Socrates, Demosthenes, Epictetus and the rest of them practiced what they preached just about the same as the present day philosophers do.

A flea or a bedbug is a great hindrance to the spread of religion and peace of mind. And they increase so fast they make a rabbit or a housefly ashamed and really guilty of race suicide.

If it be true that "whom the gods would destroy they first make mad," then a number of European monarchs are heading straight for destruction, for they are certainly as mad as March hares.

And now there is a bill up before the Legislature to provide a state home for such of the fallen women which the state is driving out into the cold world by the anti-redlight law as may want to go there until something better turns up for them. Sounds more reasonable than a lot of other bills up there. If the state is going to drive a lot of women out of the only calling they know and out to face a public that generally gives them a most decided cold shoulder, then something ought to be done for their aid and relief, temporarily, at least.

Those armies never seem to stick around and fight it out at a place that a fellow has learned to pronounce.


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NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

State and County Taxes for the Fiscal Year 1916-1917.

Office of the Collector of State and County Taxes, Martinez.

Notice is hereby given that I have received from the Auditor of Contra Costa county the Duplicate assessment book for the fiscal year 1916-1917, and

That the taxes on all personal property secured by real property, and one-half of the taxes on real property, will be due and payable on the

Third Monday in October, 1916,

and will be delinquent on the first Monday in December next thereafter, at six o'clock p.m., and that unless paid prior thereto fifteen per cent will be added to the amount thereof, and that if said one-half be not paid before the

Last Monday in April, 1917,

at six o'clock p. m., an additional five per cent will be added thereto. The remaining one-half of the taxes on all real property will be payable on and after the

First Monday in January, 1917,

and will be delinquent on the

Last Monday in April,

next thereafter, at six o'clock p. m., and unless paid prior thereto, five per cent will be added to the amount thereof.

That all taxes may be paid at the time the first installment, as herein provided, is due and payable.

That payment of taxes must be made at the office of the Tax Collector, in the town of Martinez.

MARTIN W. JOOST.
Tax Collector Contra Costa County.

Nov. 13, 1916.
Apr. 25, 1917

ASSESSOR'S NOTICE

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NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

All persons, firms, companies, corporations and associations are required to deliver at the Assessor's Office, Martinez, immediately, a statement under oath of all the property, both real and personal, owned or claimed by him, her or them, or in their possession, or held in trust for others, at 12 o'clock meridian, on

FIRST MONDAY OF MARCH, 1917,

in accordance with the new constitution. Refusal or neglect to make such sworn statement of all property owned or held in trust, will subject the person so refusing or neglecting to make such sworn statement to the full penalty of the law.

All property owners should see that their property is correctly described on the assessment roll.

Immediate attention is necessary, as work on the roll has already been commenced. Proper blanks may be had at the Assessor's office, or at the Richmond Branch of the County Assessor's office, 420 Macdonald avenue.

All statements must be in the Assessor's office on or before the first day of May, 1917.

G. O. MEESE,
County Assessor.
J. O. FORD, Deputy at Richmond.
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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the matter of the estate of Theresa Goulart, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, administrator of the estate of Theresa Goulart, deceased, to the creditors of, and to all persons having claims against said decedent, to file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Contra Costa County, State of California, or to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, to the said administrator, at the office of Will S. Robenson, 707 Macdonald avenue, Richmond, Cal., the same being designated as the place of business in all matters connected with said estate, within ten months after the first publication of this notice.

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### HECKMAN HONORED.

Fred Heckman, business agent of the local Building Trades Council, was named a member of the state executive board at Marysville.

## Classified Ads

MRS. I. E. ROLLINS, new resident teacher of piano; homes visited. No. 815 Sixth st. j11m1

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## NEWEST MILLINERY.

Some Distinctive Points About Spring Hats.

Following the lead established during the winter, many of the new shapes are repetitions or adaptations of models built on Turkish lines in fez effect or on the contour of the Russian turban. Then there are hats that for want of a better name are termed Egyptian. Usually they have a veil accessory, which forms the chief trimming.

The large hats maintain sailor lines. Some of them have a rolled brim, which may turn backward from the face or from one side. There are those, too, which are turned up at the back somewhat after the manner of the poke. The so called Breton sailor shows the brim of irregular width, somewhat narrower in front and back than at the sides, and the brim may be slightly bent up almost anywhere it proves becoming or suits the fancy of the possessor.

One must not forget mention of the dressy hats which are named for Marie Antoinette. For the last four or five years it has become the custom of foreign modistes to bring out a hat flat in shape and mounted on a bandeau which tilts the hat itself forward on the face and presents most of the trimming under the brim at the back.

Sometimes this type of hat has the appellation "shepherdess," or it may be termed "sixteenth century" or "Watteau." No matter what the official title, the hat in its modern representation is suited only to the few, and those few must take heed to wear it only on special occasions with the lingerie frock or the dainty gown of chiffon or summer silk.

Other than the Japanese and Chinese motifs there are trimmings of wooden beads colored in Indian effects and laid on in rows about the crown of the hat. It is very likely that a lot of the Indian beads will reproduce the colors and designs of the Aztec tribes. Indeed, not a few of the patterns suggest the totem poles of the American aborigines. All this adds to the gayety of millinery models as well as a historic interest if one is inclined that way.

The mushroom shape varies the monotony of the straight brim sailor. It is a bit smarter and less tailored in its suggestion. It is to be had in colored leghorn, sometimes combined with georgette crape, satin or taffeta. There are also mushroom hats entirely of satin, with the exception of the band which is generally of straw.

## HER SPORT HAT.

Paisley Holds Its Own For All Spring Styles.

Russian shapes still dominate the new outlines. This tall crown of blue milan straw is tailored with paisley



TALL AS SMART.

satin, two bandings of the straw circling the middle crown. They are held by two interesting buttons, Roman coins stamped with real warriors.

"What is it that I shall say to her?" I asked of myself. And then suddenly something answered from within me from the same place that had arisen

### RESOLUTION OF INTENTION NUMBER 230-2.

A resolution of the Council of the City of Richmond declaring its intention to improve portions of Garrard Boulevard and Standard Avenue, in the City of Richmond, determining that serial bonds shall be issued to represents the expenses of such work or improvement and creating an assessment district to pay the expense of such work or improvement.

Be it resolved by the Council of the City of Richmond, County of Contra Costa, State of California, as follows:

That the public interest and convenience require, and that it is the intention of the Council of the City of Richmond, to order the following work to be done and improvement to be made in the City of Richmond, County of Contra Costa, State of California, to-wit:

That a portion of Garrard Boulevard between the extension westerly of the southerly line of Ohio Avenue and the extension southeasterly of the southwesterly line of Standard Avenue, and a portion of Standard Avenue between the northwesterly line of Garrard Boulevard and the extension northeasterly of the southeasterly line of Railroad Avenue, including all intersections and terminations therein contained, be graded to the official lines and grades, paved with a six inch cement concrete base with a paint coat wearing surface of asphalt and stone screenings.

That portions of the existing gutters be removed, and that a concrete catch basin with a cast iron grate and rim, and an eight inch corrugated iron pipe connection to the existing catch basin, be constructed at the westirly end of improvement and across Standard Avenue, and that the existing wing walls at the culvert at Mathe Avenue, be reconstructed, all as shown on the plans and specifications hereinafter referred to.

That all of said work shall be done at the places, in the manner and of the materials as specified, set forth and shown on the plans and specifications for said work adopted by the Council of the City of Richmond by its Resolution No. 230-2 passed and adopted by the said Council at a regular meeting thereof, held on the 26th day of March, 1917, and now on file in the office of the Clerk of the City of Richmond, reference to said plans and specifications being hereby especially made.

Excepting, however, from all the afore-described work such portion as is required by law to be kept in order and repair by any person or company having railroad tracks thereon; and also excepting from all the afore-described work any portion thereof already done to the official lines and grades and constructed in accordance with the plans and specifications herein mentioned.

And the said Council of the City of Richmond does hereby determine and declare that said proposed work and improvement is of more than local or ordinary public benefit and will affect and benefit the lands and district hereinafter described, which said district is hereby declared to be the district benefitted by said work and improvement; and that therefore the entire costs, charges and expenses of said work and improvement shall be and is hereby made chargeable against and shall be assessed upon said lands and district, which district is within the City of Richmond, County of Contra Costa, State of California, and is bounded and particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at the most westerly corner of Lot 10, Block 1, Canal Subdivision, as shown on "Map No. 1, of the Canal Subdivision" filed in the office of the Recorder of Contra Costa County, California, July 6, 1907; thence running in direct lines as follows: To the most southerly corner of said Lot 10; thence to the most westerly corner of Lot 39, said Block 1; thence to the southeasterly corner of said Lot 39; thence to the northeasterly corner of said Lot 39, thence to the southeasterly corner of Block 16, said Canal Subdivision; thence to the northwesterly corner of Lot 14, Block 17, said Canal Subdivision; thence to the southeasterly corner of Lot 13, said Block 17, thence to the most southerly corner of Lot 9, said Block 17; thence to the most northerly corner of Lot 28, said Block 17; thence to the northeasterly corner of Lot 1, said Block 17; thence to the most westerly corner of Lot 14, Block 28, said Canal Subdivision; thence to the intersection of the southerly line of Lot 3, said Block 28, with the westerly line of Washoe Street; thence to the southwesterly corner of Lot 32, Block 29, said Canal Subdivision; thence to the southeasterly corner of Lot 32, said Block 29; thence to the northeasterly corner of Lot 4, said Block 29; thence to the southeasterly corner of Block 37, Amendment to Map No. 1, The Canal Subdivision, as shown on that certain map entitled "Amendment to Map No. 1, The Canal Subdivision" filed in the office of the Recorder of Contra Costa County, California, March 10, 1910; thence to the northwesterly corner of Lot 26, Block 38, said Amendment to Map No. 1 The Canal Subdivision; thence to the northeasterly corner of said Lot 26; thence through the northwesterly corner of Lot 6, Block 38, said Canal Subdivision to the southerly line of Ohio Avenue; thence to the intersection of a direct extension westerly of the southerly line of Ohio Avenue and a line parallel to and 100 feet northwesterly from the northwesterly line of Garrard Boulevard; thence to the intersection of said line parallel to the northwesterly line of Garrard Boulevard and a line parallel to and 100 feet northeasterly from the northeasterly line of Standard Avenue; thence to the intersection of said line parallel to the northeasterly line of Standard Avenue and a line at right angles to the northeasterly line of Standard Avenue, through the intersection of the said northeasterly line of Standard Avenue and the southeasterly line of Railroad Avenue; thence to the intersection of the said northeasterly line of Standard Avenue and the southeasterly line of Railroad Avenue and a line parallel to and 100 feet southwesterly from the southwesterly line of Standard Avenue; thence to the intersection of said line parallel to the southwesterly line of Standard Avenue with the northwesterly line of Garrard Boulevard; thence to the most westerly corner of Lot 10, Block 1, aforesaid, and point of beginning. Being all in the City of Richmond, County of Contra Costa, State of California. Saving, excepting and excluding from said districts all streets, avenues, lanes, alleys, crossings and places therein included and contained.

Notice is hereby given that Monday, April 16th, 1917, at the hour of 9:00 o'clock P. M. at the Council Chambers of the Council of the City of Richmond in the City Hall at 2555 Nevin Avenue, in the City of Richmond, Contra Costa County, California, are hereby fixed as the day, hour and place when and where any and all persons having any objections to the proposed work or improvement may appear before the said Council of the City of Richmond and show cause why said proposed improvement should not be carried out in accordance with this resolution.

That said Council under the authority conferred upon it by the provisions of that certain act of the Legislature of the State of California, approved April 7, 1911, and known as the "Improvement Act of 1911," determines and declares that serial bonds shall be issued to represent the expenses of said proposed improvement, which said bonds shall be serial, extending over a period of five (5) years from the second day of January next succeeding their date, and a bond shall be issued to represent each assessment of twenty-five ($5) dollars or more, remaining unpaid for thirty (30) days after the date of the warrant issued to the contractor, or five (5) days after the decision of said Council upon an appeal, and an even annual proportion of the principal sum of each bond shall be payable by coupon on the second day of January of each year after its date and until the whole is paid, and the interest shall be payable semi-annually by a coupon on the second days of January and July respectively of each year at the rate of seven (7) per cent per annum on all sums unpaid, until the whole of said principal and interest is paid. Said bonds shall be issued in accordance with the provisions of said "Improvement Act of 1911."

The Richmond News, a daily newspaper published and circulated in the said City of Richmond, is hereby designated as the newspaper in which this resolution of intention shall be published, and the Clerk of the City of Richmond is hereby directed to cause this resolution of intention to be published by two insertions in said newspaper in the manner required by said "Improvement Act of 1911," and the Superintendent of Streets is hereby directed to cause to be conspicuously posted, notices of the passage of this resolution, in the manner and form required by said "Improvement Act of 1911."

This Resolution of Intention is adopted under the provisions of the "Improvement Act of 1911."

I hereby certify that the foregoing resolution of intention was passed and adopted at a regular meeting of the Council of the City of Richmond, on the 26th day of March, 1917, by the following vote:

Ayes: Councilmen Long, Fernald, Ogborn, Penry, Lane, Hartnett and Garrard.

Noes: Councilman Gerlach.

Absent: Councilman Picton.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand affixed the corporate seal of the City of Richmond, this 27th day of March, 1917.

A. C. FARIS,
Clerk of the City of Richmond.
(SEAL.)

Approved: E. J. GARRARD,
Mayor.

March 28-29.

### G. A. R. NOTES.

The Ladies' Circle of the G. A. R. has the exclusive sole of the official photographs taken of the flag raising. The funds will go for the promotion of the Patriotic Circle. They can be had of Mrs. Paul Goner of San Pablo and Mrs. J. E. Washburn of 640 Sixth street.

Comrade Washburn of Richmond Post has been very ill the past week.

Comrade Rawson of the G. A. R. is to be buried Wednesday afternoon by the post. Undertaker Bert Curry has charge of the remains.


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## RICHMOND, TUESDAY, APRIL 3rd



# THE SPOTLIGHT

By the OLD MAN.

We have been somewhat dubious about that proposed new charter up to now, because so many big attorneys said it was defective and would lose to Richmond many of its greatest rights under the state law, but we can see where we have got to change our opinion. The Evening Gas Tank showed very plainly last night wherein this town just had to have a hired man who would boss the whole job and get all the work cleaned up so the council would not lose fifteen or thirty minutes once in a while pawing over routine details in executive session. Well, now, don't it beat the band about the eruditeness of some bald domes that shine like the ivory of which they are? Who'd a thunk it? That's what we want, exactly—a boss of the whole shebang, because anybody can see that most any one hired man as boss would have no trouble knowing a whole lot more than the whole nine members of the present city council. Where did those councilmen get that noise about nine of them being as smart as one hired man? Of course they are not—as is proven in black type on the first page of the P. M. Diabetas.

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George Mesic, a car conductor popular Elk and a good fellow to boot, will leave in a few days to visit the old folks back in Ohio.

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Jack Best, brigadier general of the Home Laundry, is having a lot of billheads printed at this shop, on red paper. He says red is a war color and he wants folks to understand that when they get a bill from him there is going to be war pretty proto if it is not paid. Guess we'll get some red ones, too.

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The Sundown Squawk points out that what this city needs is five new councilmen. Sure. Five of the present members should be slaughtered because they refused to longer pay that sheet $5000 a year for printing and have it get by with padded bills besides. Oh, my, yes! Let's have five new oneses! We nominate Gerry Follette for mayor.

The Carmen's Athletic Club is to give the finest ball ever, on the evening of April 14, at East Shore park, and if Jack Best will bring our other shirt home by that time we'll go and do a tango. There is some rivalry as to whether Cook or "Slim" of the 23rd street overland unlimited will lead the grand march.

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John Nicholl showed up again last evening and suggested that it might be a good scheme to move the city hall out into the municipal wharf and appoint the wharfinger as caretaker.

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When Olney wants to get action on garden hats he advertises: "Get your information from Hulanicki, your seeds from the grocer and your sun hats from The Fair." Well, that sounds fair.

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Six feet and a half of Bill Lucas loomed up on Macdonald avenue last night, wearing that cable-slot smile that made him famous. He says Vallejo is lively now, owing to rush war orders, and that George Schram and J. Park Jacobs are also over there. Well, now, if Vallejo has Bill and George and J. Park, that's about enough.

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Anticipating that the new charter will carry, our Freeholder friends are thinking of borrowing the searchlights of the S. O. of Joe Brooks and Dimm and turning them into the highways and byways in search for a municipal czar. Why all that trouble? One can be found at Alameda and another right next the postoffice.

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Where did our valiant local militia commander get that noise about drafting men into the ranks of Company B? We thought that was the prerogative of the President of the United States.

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And now General Hart wants the city to pay George Wall $555 for rent for the city hall now standing vacant in the Harbor Center tract. Life in Richmond is made up of just one dingbusted thing arter another—mostly city halls.

# COLE BROTHERS CIRCUS BIGGEST ON THE ROAD THIS YEAR

Two special trains of all steel cars, the only all steel show train in the world, will bring Cole Bros.' World-Toured Shows and Trained Wild Animal Exhibition to Richmond April 2, for two performances, afternoon and night, rain or shine. The Cole Bros.' Show is larger and greater than ever, with nothing old but everything new. The slogan of this mammoth organization is "Different, Up-to-Date and Ahead of That."

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The monster street parade is the talk of every town visited, it is unapproachable in wealth and gorgeous glittering trappings, costly velvet costumes, sleek and shining Arabian horses, cutest shetland ponies, donkeys, goats and strange wild animals, glistening gilded chariots, four brass bands, caravans, droves of camels and dromidaries and funny clowns galore, making a princely display of a magnificent pageant.

Cole Bros.' show is unique in its magnitude of superb entertainment. Leaving the wild animal department, delight is furnished by long lists of European novelty acts. Prof. Barry's trained ponies are the delight of the children. Madame Rogers' high school act is most diverting; the Whitties in their entrancing iron jaw and human butterfly diversity; the great Burson wirewalker and acrobat presents an artistic array of new and novel feats in head and hand balancing; while an imported act of unusual excellence is that given by Prof. and Mrs. Rogers with the only horses in the world doing the Spanish tango; Charley Post and his twenty comical clowns; and hundreds of other attractions offer the big holiday treat of the season.

## ADAMSON LAW COSTLY TO ROADS

WASHINGTON, March 27.—Operation of the Adamson eight-hour law will increase the expenses of the railroads of the country at least $60,000,000 a year, according to a petition presented to the Interstate Commerce ommission today by the western roads asking for a general rate increase of approximately 15 per cent.

### TIDE LAND LAW DRAFTED.

City Attorney Hall yesterday drafted a bill to be presented to the Legislature, which will permit Richmond to lease its tide lands and water-front for long periods for industrial purposes. By the terms of the bill the state gives Richmond all right and title to the properties.

### OGBORN BUSY.

The Royal Neighbors had a delightful meeting last night. One application for membership was received, and refreshments were served by a committee composed of Mesdames Arnold, Waggle, Kettle, Rutledge and Oliver.

Eight new houses are in progress of erection in the Wall Harbor Center tract. The lots were given outright to those who are building upon them, and George Wall's liberality in this direction may well be emulated by a lot of other realty men around here, in which event there would not be such a lamentable scarcity of houses.

Mrs. Walter Craven is recovering from a minor operation at the Abbott hospital.

# GREAT EASTER DISPLAYS

The Easter displays being shown in the Jones & Adkison windows are constant delights to the ladies. And we rather like to stop and rubber some at the pretty things for the pretty ladies, also, though it is a bit embarrassing in traversing the big double store to run into some woman in the latest style draperies and take off our hat and apologize, only to find that she is made of wax and utterly lifeless and without a heart. We ran into one yesterday, and she smiled real sweet, but we found upon closer examination that the smile was frozen on and couldn't be otherwise. And she had on the latest military pajamas, too, but never blushed or batted an eye.

### BIG STURGEON CAUGHT.

Colusa fishermen boast of having landed a sturgeon which tipped the scales at 380 pounds, 12 feet long and 4 feet 7 inches in circumference. They claim it is the largest of this species ever taken from the Sacramento river. The fish yielded 95 pounds of eggs, which sold for $1 per pound, and the remainder of the cleaned carcass was disposed of to Sacramento dealers, the total sum realized from the catch being $129. Don't exactly know, but we are inclined to believe that Pittsburg fishermen have caught more than one sturgeon equally as large.—Pittsburg Dispatch.

### SANTA FE ENTERTAINMENT.

Another high-class entertainment for the Santa Fe reading room has been engaged in the Hood College Entertainers, of Frederick, Md. There are five young ladies in the group, each one engaged after a most exacting test of her ability. Among the five are a reader, a soloist, one skilled in musical recitations, another who gives interpretations of literature, together with a pianist and manager. They will appear on the 29th.

Sing Lee, arrested Monday night for selling lottery tickets, was given 60 days in the county bastile yesterday by Judge Jacobs.

# NOTED JAPANESE ACTOR AT T. & D. THEATER

Vola Smith is no more. In her stead stands Vola Vale, who is appearing with Sessue Hayakawa in the Lasky-Paramount production of "Each to His Kind," which will be seen at the T. & D. Richmond theater Wednesday and Thursday. Vola Smith, leading woman and ingenue for a number of motion pictures companies, was selected to appear in support of the distinguished Japanese artist, Sessue Hayakawa. It was then decided that the name "Smith" was too common for histrionic success, so finally "Vale" was chosen and it is under this name she appears in the production of "Each to His Kind."

Judge Hiram Jacobs was in Martinez yesterday looking into matter pertaining to the incorporation of El Cerrito.


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